Manipulator Task Team ISMS In Action



- 11A Hot Cells Mission
 - Built in 1994 to support SST/DST Sampling
 - Newest Hot Cell Facility in DOE Complex
 - 7 Hot Cells Housing 22 Manipulators
 - 2 Cells with Large Work and Viewing Areas





- Customer Performance Agreements
 - 1998 Increase in Manipulator Breakage
 - Breakage of Key Manipulators
 - Customer Sampling Rate Increase



- Production Obstacles
 - Lack Of Trained Maintenance Personnel
 - Impacts Performance Agreements and Production



- Facility Answer to Problem
 - Create And Empower a Task Team to Work the Issues
 - Dedicate Team Lead and Craft to Repair and/or Replace Manipulators



Manipulator Task Team

- How the Team was Formed
- Team Members
- Issues
- Team Meetings
- Priorities/Plant Priority System
- Scheduling
- Successes



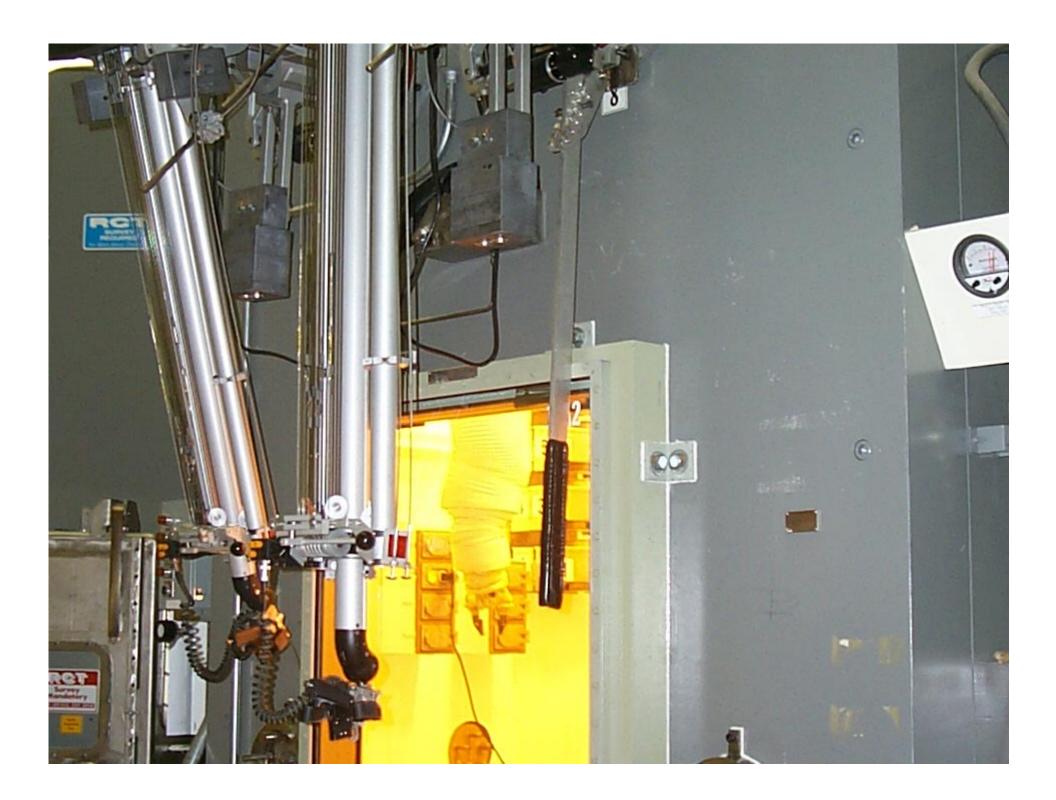
Craft Involvement

- Ownership
- Proactive Problem Solving
- Individual Craftsman Design, Develop, Test and Fabricate Specialized Tools
 - Modified Manipulator Maintenance Stands
 - Designed Manipulator Installation and Boot Removal Tool











Manipulator Task Team Results

• Using Integrated Safety Management
Principles the 222-S Lab was able to define
our problem, identify hazards, perform
work and use feed back to improve our
process and deliver timely sample results
enabling our customer to meet Performance
Agreements.

